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Via Electronic Mail and Overnight Delivery

June 12, 2017

Ms. Sara Clark
Department Secretary
Administrative Unit
Massachusetts Department of Telecommunications and Cable
1000 Washington Street, Ste. 820
Boston, MA 02118-6500

RE: Granite Telecommunications LLC - Tariff Advice Letter No. 12, 2017 FCC
USF/ICC Transformation Order/47 C.F.R. §51.911(c) Compliance Submission

Dear Secretary Clark:

Pursuant to Section 51.911(c) of the FCC's rules, 47 C.F.R. §51.911(c), and the Department's May 22, 2017 *Notice* to Massachusetts Telecommunications Carriers and Interested Persons,¹ Granite Telecommunications LLC ("Granite ") submits to the Massachusetts Department of Telecommunications and Cable ("Department") an original and one copy of amended Sheet Nos. 2, 90 and 93 to the Company's Massachusetts switched exchange access tariff, Massachusetts D.T.E. Tariff No. 2, for incorporation into the Company's tariff. A \$100.00 tariff filing fee made payable to the "Commonwealth of Massachusetts" is also enclosed.

By this submission, Granite reduces its composite intrastate direct terminating rate to \$0.0007, by setting its terminating rate at parity with the Company's interstate rate as set forth in the Company's Tariff F.C.C. No. 1, effective July 1, 2017. Granite's interstate rates are set at parity with the corresponding Verizon Telephone Companies terminating rates, as set forth in The Verizon Telephone Companies Tariff FCC No. 11, Section 31.6.2.² No rate calculations are included herein, accordingly. Granite does not own or lease tandem switches in Massachusetts.

The Company's F.C.C. Tariff No. 1 incorporating the Verizon Telephone Company rates may be viewed at <https://apps.fcc.gov/etfs/public/tariff.action?idTariff=442>. A copy of the relevant interstate tariff page, Sheet 90.3, is also enclosed.

¹RE: 2017 Intercarrier Compensation Rate Reduction Tariff Filings; Related ILEC Certifications and Data Submittals (May 22, 2017).

² See also Verizon New England Inc. Amendment to Massachusetts Tariff DTE-MA-No. 15 (June 1, 2017)

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Please acknowledge receipt of this filing by file-stamping the additional copy of this letter and returning it in the self-addressed stamped envelope provided for this purpose.

Thank you for your attention to this matter. Questions may be directed to the undersigned.

Sincerely,

MILLER ISAR, INC.

/s/ Andrew O. Isar

Andrew O. Isar
Regulatory Consultants to
Granite Telecommunications LLC

cc: Ms. Sara Clark (separate electronic copy via email to dtc.efiling@state.ma.us)

Enclosures

CHECK SHEET

The sheets of this tariff are effective as of the date shown. The original and revised sheets named below contain all changes from the original tariff and are in effect on the date shown. An asterisk (*) reflects the revision number of sheets included in a current filing with the Commission.

<u>Sheet</u>	<u>Revision</u>	<u>Sheet</u>	<u>Revision</u>	<u>Sheet</u>	<u>Revision</u>	<u>Sheet</u>	<u>Revision</u>
1	Original	29	Original	57	Original	85	Original
2	Seventh*	30	Original	58	Original	86	Second
3	First	31	Original	59	Original	87	First
4	First	32	Original	60	Original	88	First
5	Original	33	Original	61	Original	89	First
6	Original	34	Original	62	Original	90	Sixth*
7	Original	35	Original	63	Original	91	Original
8	Original	36	Original	64	Original	92	Original
9	Original	37	Original	65	Original	93	Fifth*
10	Original	38	Original	66	Original		
11	Original	39	Original	67	Original		
12	Original	40	Original	68	Original		
13	Original	41	Original	69	Original		
14	Original	42	Original	70	Original		
15	Original	43	Original	71	Original		
16	Original	44	Original	72	Original		
17	Original	45	Original	73	Original		
18	Original	46	Original	74	Original		
19	Original	47	Original	75	Original		
20	Original	48	Original	76	Original		
21	Original	49	Original	77	Original		
22	Original	50	Original	78	Original		
23	Original	51	Original	79	Original		
24	Original	52	Original	80	Original		
25	Original	53	Original	81	Original		
26	Original	54	Original	82	Original		
27	Original	55	Original	83	Original		
28	Original	56	Original	84	Original		

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RATES5.1 Access Service5.1.1 Service OrdersNonrecurring
Charge

A)	Service Implementation	First	Add'l
1)	Installation Charge	\$0.00	\$0.00
2)	Access Order Charge	\$0.00	\$0.00
3)	Cancellation Charge	\$0.00	\$0.00

5.1.2 Switched Access

Originating Access

Per minute of use \$0.003722

Terminating Access, per minute of use

Tandem Transport, Termination	\$0.00	(T)(R)
Tandem Transport, Facility		
Per Mile, terminating to Verizon End Office	\$0.00	(R)
Per Mile Terminating to Third Party	\$0.000002	(T)
Tandem Switching		
Terminating to Verizon End Office	\$0.0007	(R)
Terminating to Third Party	\$0.001574	(T)
Composite end office charge	\$0.00	(R)

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RATES (cont'd)5.3 Primary Interexchange Carrier Charge

Multi-Line Business, per line	\$4.31
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5.4 VoIP-PSTN Traffic

Per origination minute of use	\$0.003722
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Terminating Access, per minute of use

Tandem Transport, Termination	\$0.00	(T)(R)
Tandem Transport, Facility		
Per Mile, terminating to Verizon End Office	\$0.00	(R)
Per Mile Terminating to Third Party	\$0.000002	(T)
Tandem Switching		
Terminating to Verizon End Office	\$0.0007	(R)
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RATES (cont'd)

5.1 Access Service (cont'd)

5.1.2 Switched Access (cont'd)

B) Continued

District of Columbia, Delaware, Maryland, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Virginia

Verizon Telephone Companies Tariff FCC No. 1 Section 6

Connecticut, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, New York

The Verizon Telephone Companies Tariff F.C.C. No. 11 Section 31

California

Pacific Bell Telephone Company Tariff F.C.C. No. 1, Section 6

Nevada

Nevada Bell Tariff F.C.C. No. 1, Section 6

West Virginia

Frontier Telephone Companies Tariff F.C.C. No. 4 Section 6

Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont

The FairPoint Telephone Companies Tariff F.C.C. No. 1 Section 31

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